

CLAIM AMENDMENTS

1 -10 . (Cancelled)

11. (Currently amended) A method of concealing data comprising the steps of:
obtaining a carrier;
printing data on the carrier with ~~ink selected from the group consisting of~~
magnetically doped-ink, ~~ink with UV components, ink with IR components;~~ and
embedding the carrier in a composite material.

12. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11 wherein the carrier is selected from the group consisting of a mesh, paper, a porous material that is printable and allows permeation of a resin material, and a sheet of solid resin material.

13. (Currently amended) The method of claim 11 ~~further comprising~~ wherein the step of embedding the carrier comprises the steps of:
placing the carrier on the surface of the composite;
coating the carrier with a resin;
allowing the resin to flow into the carrier; and
bonding the carrier to the composite material.

14. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11 wherein the composite material is manufactured into an object, said object is selected from the group consisting of:
automotive component, aerospace component, marine component, and aircraft component.

15 - 19 . (Cancelled)

20. (New) The method of claim 12 wherein the step of embedding the carrier comprises the steps of:
placing the carrier on the surface of the composite;
coating the carrier with a resin;
allowing the resin to flow into the carrier; and
bonding the carrier to the composite material.

21. (New) The method of claim 12 wherein the composite material is manufactured into an object, said object is selected from the group consisting of:

automotive component, aerospace component, marine component, and aircraft component.

22. (New) The method of claim 13 wherein the composite material is manufactured into an object, said object is selected from the group consisting of:

automotive component, aerospace component, marine component, and aircraft component.

23. (New) The method of claim 20 wherein the composite material is manufactured into an object, said object is selected from the group consisting of:

automotive component, aerospace component, marine component, and aircraft component.

24. (New) A method of concealing data comprising the steps of:

obtaining a carrier;

printing data on the carrier with ink with UV components and

embedding the carrier in a composite material.

25. (New) The method of claim 24 wherein the carrier is selected from the group consisting of a mesh, paper, a porous material that is printable and allows permeation of a resin material, and a sheet of solid resin material.

26. (New) The method of claim 24 wherein the step of embedding the carrier comprises the steps of:

placing the carrier on the surface of the composite;

coating the carrier with a resin;

allowing the resin to flow into the carrier; and

bonding the carrier to the composite material.

27. (New) The method of claim 24 wherein the composite material is manufactured into an object, said object is selected from the group consisting of:

automotive component, aerospace component, marine component, and aircraft component.

28. (New) The method of claim 25 wherein the step of embedding the carrier comprises the steps of:

placing the carrier on the surface of the composite;
coating the carrier with a resin;
allowing the resin to flow into the carrier; and
bonding the carrier to the composite material.

29. (New) The method of claim 25 wherein the composite material is manufactured into an object, said object is selected from the group consisting of:

automotive component, aerospace component, marine component, and aircraft component.

30. (New) The method of claim 26 wherein the composite material is manufactured into an object, said object is selected from the group consisting of:

automotive component, aerospace component, marine component, and aircraft component.

31. (New) The method of claim 28 wherein the composite material is manufactured into an object, said object is selected from the group consisting of:

automotive component, aerospace component, marine component, and aircraft component.

32. (New) (Currently amended) A method of concealing data comprising the steps of:

obtaining a porous carrier material that is printable and allows permeation of a resin material,

printing data on the carrier with ink selected from the group consisting of magnetically doped ink, ink with UV components, ink with IR components; and
embedding the carrier in a composite material.

33. (New) the method of claim 32 wherein the step of embedding the carrier comprises the steps of:

- placing the carrier on the surface of the composite;
- coating the carrier with a resin;
- allowing the resin to flow into the carrier; and
- bonding the carrier to the composite material.

34. (New) The method of claim 32 wherein the composite material is manufactured into an object, said object is selected from the group consisting of:

- automotive component, aerospace component, marine component, and aircraft component.

35. (New) The method of claim 33 wherein the composite material is manufactured into an object, said object is selected from the group consisting of:

- automotive component, aerospace component, marine component, and aircraft component.